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A SWITCHING NODE OF AN ASYNCHRONOUS TRANSFER MODE (ATM) NETWORK**

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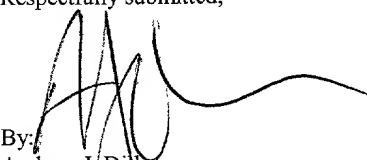
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